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From:

Subject:

Latimer, Becky

Sent:

Thursday, December 19, 2019 11:37 AM

To:

2019-290-WS

Dear Maeghan Edge

This is to acknowledge receipt of your request for a Public Night Hearing to be held in Irmo in the Richland County area and your Letter of Protest/Comments to the Public Service Commission of South Carolina. Your Letter of Protest/Comments will be placed in the Protest File of the Docket listed below and on the Commission's Website at www.psc.sc.gov.

 <u>Docket No. 2019-290-WS</u> - Application of Blue Granite Water Company for Approval to Adjust Rate Schedules and Increase Rates

A Protestant is an individual objecting on the ground of private or public interest to the approval of an Application, Petition, Motion or other matters which the Commission may have under consideration. A Protestant may offer sworn testimony but cannot cross-examine witnesses offered by other parties.

According to the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, filing a Protest does not make you a Party of Record. A Protestant desiring to become an Intervenor (i.e., a Party of Record) in a proceeding before the Commission may file a Petition for Intervention within the time prescribed by the Commission.

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Docket No. 2019-290-WS - Application of Blue Granite Water Company for Approval to Adjust Rate Schedules and Increase Rates https://dms.psc.sc.gov/Web/Dockets/Detail/117247

If we may be of further assistance to you, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely, Becky Latimer Public Service Commission of South Carolina 101 Executive Center Dr., Suite 100 Columbia, SC 29210



Letter of Protest

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Save as PDF file and Email form to: contact@psc.sc.gov

* Required Fields Docket No. Date: * 12/19/19 **Protestant Information:** Maeghan Edge Name * Mailing Addres: City, State Zip * Irmo SC E-m 1. What is your connection or interest in this case? * For example, are you a customer of the Company that is the subject of this pending proceeding? (This section must be completed. Attach additional information if necessary.) I am a customer of Blue Granite. 2. Please give a concise statement of your protest. * (This section must be completed. Attach additional information if necessary.) Prices have been raised multiple times for no change in service. It is outrageous to charge customers \$100 to flush the toilet. What are we getting in return for the raise in price? It shouldn't even be the \$65 that we are being charged now. We need to have the option of using a different company. Blue Granite is taking advantage of the fact that we don't have a choice but to use them, and it's not a service that people can choose not to use if they can't afford it. This is completely unacceptable. 3. Do you wish to make an appearance at a hearing in this proceeding, if scheduled, and offer sworn testimony? *

No.

Maeghan Signature Required: Edge

Digitally signed by Maeghan Edge Date: 2019.12.19 10:32:07 -05'00'